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LOCAL.

H. M. BANNERMAN left for Winnipeg on Tuesday.

W. F. BREDIN, and C. Jarvis, left for Calgary on Wednesday.

G. RAINBOTH, left for his home in Aylmer, Que. on Tuesday.

DR. PORTEX and A. L. Ashdown arrived from Prince Albert on Monday.

THE prairie and bush fires have been almost subdued by the fall of snow.

D. ROSS and J. Peacock have gone up the river prospecting for iron deposits.

JOHN A. McDUGALL leaves to-day with his mother for Calgary and points east.

THE Rev. H. Grandin has taken the place of Father Scollen in charge of the Catholic mission in town.

G. GULLION and G. B. Anderson have gone to the Athabasca landing to build boats for the H.B.Co.

LEDERHOOT came in from Calgary on Tuesday with eight carts loads of goods for A. MacDonald & Co.

FIELDERS & SMITH arrived on Wednesday with ten carts loaded with flour for A. MacDonald & Co.

By last mail Mr. Kildahl received a letter from Calgary dated 20th August and one from Ireland dated the 29th.

THE Calgary Herald says that it is yet uncertain whether the C.P.R. will adopt the Kicking Horse or the Howse pass.

THE attendance at the public school for the last quarter averaged 27 for the quarter. The highest attendance on any one day was 37.

W. ANDERSON, Indian agent, returned from the final payments on Thursday. Everything passed off quietly at Peace hills and Battle river.

ALEX. TAYLOR, of the telegraph office, has been confined to his room for the past week, and for several days James McKernan has been in charge of the office.

As tomorrow is the occasion of Rev. D. C. Sanderson's monthly service at the Sturgeon river settlement, there will be no morning service in the Methodist church in town.

THE grain and vegetables secured by the colonization company's special prizes at the exhibition will be kept on exhibition, partly at the company's office and partly in the east.

THE government farm at Riviere Qui Barre will be abandoned, and no crop will be put in after this year. All the instructor's time will in future be devoted to the Indians on their reserves.

DAN NOYES brought down his last raft of logs for this season on Tuesday. It took three days to come down thirty miles. He says the river is lower now than he has ever seen it before.

ONE hundred tons of hay were destroyed by fire last week at the government farm at Riviere Qui Barre. The instructor has cut and stacked a second lot to winter the 80 head of animals now on the farm.

ABOUT fifty Nimrods left on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for Beaver lake and Hay lakes, to hunt ducks, geese, etc. As we are not fond of game we forbear publishing the name, dreading an invasion by the grateful hunters.

PRESBYTERIAN services to-morrow evening will be held in the school house on account of the church being in the hands of the plasterers. There will be no morning service on account of Mr. Baird's absence at Fort Saskatchewan.

DONALD McLEOD arrived from Calgary last night with three passengers—R. W. Rossiter, agent for A. Harris & Son's implements, a repairer connected with the same company, and John G. Vincent, a relative of Mrs. John Fraser of the lower settlement.

CALGARY has a semi-weekly mail, arriving on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and departing on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The railways have refused to carry the mails, but they are sent in charge of a post office department messenger between Medicine Hat and Calgary.

ALL the treaty payments excepting some stragglers, were completed on the 8th when the Indians on hobtails were paid. About \$4,500.00 were paid to those on the reserves at Two hills, Peace hills, and Battle river, and \$5,555.00 to the Indians at Victoria, Saddle lake, Whitefish lake and Lac la Biche. These amounts added to that paid on the reserves west of Edmonton, makes a total expenditure in the whole district of over \$10,000.

THE Indian department has decided to abandon the government farm at Peace hills, as it has not proved to be a paying concern. Mr. Lucas the inspector will devote all his time to the Indians on their reserves in future.

ON Monday of last week, while J. O'Donnell, Indian farm instructor, was employed with a gang of Indians whipsawing lumber on Alexandre's reserve the fire suddenly entered the bush where they were working and ran with such rapidity that several of the Indians had their hair scorched before they could get to a place of safety. The fire ran through the tops of the trees with lightning rapidity. All the country from St. Albert mission to Qui Barre and through to the Pembina river has been burned over.

DURING the treaty payments at Whitefish lake and Lac la Biche the Indians at the former place made a demand on the agent for more powder than the government allowed, saying that unless it was at once forthcoming the agent and police would not be allowed to proceed. The demand was for one keg and the agent was obliged to submit and did so very gracefully, giving them two instead of one. At Lac la Biche the same thing occurred and the requisition being complied with everything passed off quite successfully.

THERE has been a shifting around of officers in charge of Indian agencies. Hayter Reed, of Battleford, has been made assistant commissioner of Indian affairs. His place at Battleford has been filled by J. M. Rae, formerly of Carlton, and J. A. Macrae, assistant agent here, has been appointed to Carlton. Mr. Macrae is an able and painstaking officer. By carefully attending to his own business, and just as carefully leaving the business of other people alone, he has proved himself worthy of the promotion he has received. He leaves to undertake his new duties next week, and it is suggested although not officially announced that his successor will be J. A. Mitchell, of Victoria.

THE Winnipeg Commercial does the Bulletin the frequent honor of quoting from its columns any local items which are suitable for such a paper. Among those in the last issue is one which states that: "D. Maloney has erected the first frame house in the Edmonton district." Now, be it known to the readers of the Bulletin in general and to the editor of the Commercial in particular that there were frame houses in Edmonton before any such place as Winnipeg was in existence. The proud metropolis of the upper Saskatchewan looked down from her point of vantage on the Big Swift Running at a time when from Stinking river to Frog plain there was nothing to mark the course of the dreamy Red but a few half-breed shanties and the unpretending walls of old Fort Garry. It was a frame barn, not a frame house, that Mr. Maloney erected.

THE following is a synopsis of the ordinance respecting municipalities, laid before the N. W. council: The lieutenant-governor may by proclamation establish municipalities of not less than four contiguous townships forming either a square or a parallelogram, on a petition of two-thirds of those qualified to vote for members of the N.W. council. Each municipality of not more than nine townships shall be entitled to five councillors; municipalities of more than nine townships shall be entitled to seven representatives. The two of the five, or three of the seven, having the lowest number of votes retiring at the end of the first year and the others holding office for two years. The election of councillors shall take place on the 2nd of January, and the first election shall be in manner similar to the election of members of the N.W. council; afterwards the electors shall be all male persons over 21 years of age, British subjects, being assessed for a certain specified sum on the last revised assessment roll. The council at its first meeting shall elect a chairman who shall hold office for the year, and a clerk who shall hold office during the pleasure of the council. The council shall pass a by-law for the appointment of a treasurer, assessor, collector, auditors, road overseers, pound-keepers and constables and fix their remuneration. The subjects on which the council may pass by-laws are enumerated in twenty-five sections and include the matters usually found in such a list. Regulations are laid down in regard to assessors, exemptions, rates, appeal from assessment roll and revision of roll, statute labor, collection of rates, collectors and their duties. Nothing is said about the incorporation of towns or any municipality which covers less than four townships, no provision is made for electing representatives from different wards in a municipality, and there is no hint of any money but that raised by taxation being placed at the disposal of a council.

CONSIDERABLE discussion took place in the exhibition hall on Wednesday in regard to the wheat which took the first prize in the class for any kind. It is popularly known as wild goose wheat, but many claimed that it was rye and no wheat at all. It will be remembered that last year Mr. Taylor, of the telegraph office, sent a specimen to the Prairie Farmer for classification and the reply received was that it was Triticum Polanicum or Polish wheat. The grain is very large—nearly half an inch long—and as hard as flint. It has very little bran, yielding fifty pounds of flour to the bushel, but millers object to grinding it on account of its hardness. The straw grows very long and also the heads, but there are very few grains—not more than twenty-five or thirty—to a head. It does not give a large yield per acre, and does not ripen early enough in unfavorable seasons.

SASKATCHEWAN CITY.

A. L. Ashdown has rented Mr. Helmick's store and has already opened out a stock of goods.

Major Butler has rented the vacant house belonging to R. Belcher and will remain for the winter.

Lamoureux' mill is cutting lumber and shingles. The gristing department will be ready in a couple of weeks.

Jas. Reid intended to exhibit a band of colts at the Edmonton show but after hunting for them the previous day he was unable to find them.

The Lamoureux steam threshing machine is giving general satisfaction. It threshed 1,300 bushels, clean and good, in 11 hours. The crops generally are turning out well.

Some time ago Mrs. Helmick was kicked by a cow while milking in the stable and thrown against the wall. She sustained several bruises the worst being on the arm, but it was not thought to be anything worse than a bruise and the usual remedies were applied. But she did not regain the use of her arm, and when medical advice was summoned this week it was found that one of the bones of the forearm was broken and that it was dislocated as well.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SASKATCHEWAN DISTRICT COURT.—DIVISION No. 3.—The sittings of the above court will be held in the school house, Edmonton, commencing at ten o'clock in the forenoon, on the 6th day of December, 1883. L. J. MUNRO, clerk of the court.

MASONIC.—Saskatchewan Lodge No. 17, G. R. M., A. F. & A. M.—A regular meeting of the above lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, Edmonton, on Monday, 15th inst., at 7.30 p.m. Visiting brethren cordially invited. By order of the W.M. W. STIFF, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 20th Sept. no liquor permit will be granted by his honor the lieutenant-governor of the North-West territories, except on payment of the following fee: For wines and spirits, per gallon, 50 cents; ales free. By command of his honor the lieutenant-governor. A. E. FORGET, clerk of the council.

NOTICE.—Re Robert Young.—All parties indebted to the said Robert Young are hereby notified that I have been appointed his sole agent for the collection of all accounts owing to him, and that unless the same are immediately paid to me they will be placed in court. Dated at Edmonton, this 20th September, 1883. GEO. A. WATSON, Solicitor for said Young.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, OCT. 13, 1883.

THE EXHIBITION.

The most important though often not the most prominent business of an agricultural exhibition is educational. The establishing of the fact that such a man has succeeded in growing better wheat than his neighbors is a mere trifle compared with the opportunity furnished by this week's gathering for the discussion of methods, the noting of results, and the summing up of the highest possibilities shown to be within reach, and the farmer who went home on Wednesday evening without some new idea or some fresh inspiration did not spend his entry fee to the best advantage. Agricultural progress will not only be slow but it will not even have the counterbalancing merit of being sure if each husbandman is obliged to plod on singly without profiting by the experience of his neighbors, and in our present circumstances there is no means of learning from the experience of others to be compared with the opportunity furnished by public display of successful samples, where there is not only an opportunity of inspecting the result itself but of discussing with the owner the method of its production. Both in the raising of grain and vegetables and in the management of stock there are problems to be solved by the farmer here which no amount of previous experience elsewhere will enable him to answer with confidence, and instead of working his way through a tedious and perhaps disastrous course of experiments it will simplify matters immensely for him to learn, as such an occasion enables him to do, from the combined experience of the neighborhood. Again, the life of a farmer, from its isolation and from the amount of manual labor involved, requires something to break its routine, to breathe into it a healthy feeling of generous emulation, and to assert its true dignity as one of the noblest of pursuits.

Besides the value to those who are immediately engaged in placing on view these superior specimens of agricultural products is the evidence which it gives to the outside world of the capacities of the country. The fact that a district in which farming is so new a thing is able to make so complete and creditable an exhibit cannot fail to have its effect as an advertisement both of the capabilities of the country and the energy of its inhabitants. This association is bolstered up by no government or municipal grant; it is fostered by no department of agriculture or parent society; it is an evidence of public spirit pure and simple. One of the things that did most to make Manitoba known and admired in the eastern provinces was the annual exhibit of its natural and industrial products in the provincial exhibitions and other principal cities, and one cannot tell whether our steady going fellow-countrymen admired most the remarkable products of the soil or the enterprise of a people who, finding themselves in possession of all this wealth, took so much trouble by word and deed to invite everybody to come and share. It is not within our power to enter in any considerable degree upon such a scheme as this, and indeed it is not necessary since the work has been done so well by Manitoba, and our capacities are in a great measure similar.

The Edmonton society is to be congratulated on the success it has already met and the hold it has on the sympathies of the people, but all this must not blind its officers to the fact that their work is not yet perfect, and that several of the good qualities of an exhibition were last Wednesday conspicuous by their absence. But it is much pleasanter to suggest improvements than to find fault, and we take the liberty of suggesting a couple which might do considerable to widen the range of the society's usefulness. The society's duty certainly is to foster agricultural development, but that its sympathies are not limited to that is shown by the classes in the prize list which are devoted to industrial and manufacturing interests. Now in this con-

nection there is nothing of more importance than the raw materials which lie at hand ready to be used in manufactures. It is much more likely that the future fame of Edmonton will rest upon its manufactures than upon its agricultural interests, unsurpassed as these are, and any exhibition of her products which takes no notice of her coal, her iron, her gold, does her scant justice: does her in fact that worst kind of injustice which is perpetrated when half a truth is put forward as the whole truth. It is in vain to say that because all these minerals can be mined in paying quantities within half a mile of the town the people must therefore know all about them and there is no use placing them upon exhibition. This is not so. The people are scandalously ignorant on this subject, and doubtless it is within the mark to say that not one half of the people know that any brownish boulder they pick up on the bank of the river is almost certain to be more than a third of it pure iron.

Once more, if the directors think that they have fulfilled their whole duty by holding a field day once a year they fall far short of the ideal that ought to be before them. Within the past three months there has been a remarkable increase in the number of men who visited us simply "to see" the country. They were mostly men of wealth and influence whose good opinion would be valuable, and in some cases it was no secret that they would not have turned their backs on a promising opening for the investment of capital. What have we done except in the most accidental and hap-hazard way to give these men facilities to see what the country can produce? The agricultural society has an organization; it has funds, or if it has not it won't have to go far to get them for such a purpose, and this business comes naturally within its sphere; let its officers have a suitable cabinet or showcase constructed and filled with specimens of the products of the country—agricultural, industrial, mineral and otherwise—and let this cabinet be kept on view in some place where it will be accessible to visitors. It might be placed under the care of some officer of the society or possibly of our representative in the North-West council, and it would go far to prove to the outside world what we ourselves know so well already—that in mineral and timber resources we are so far ahead that there is no other town in the North-West that is even second to us, and that we have a land that requires only "to be tickled with a hoe to laugh with a harvest."

The arrival of half a ton of cents for distribution in the North-West deserves to be treated as something more than a subject for joking. It points a moral in connection with the development of the country. The time has come when frugality and economy are beginning to be studied. All the new western countries have been or are extravagant and careless of money in small sums. Buying and selling were done in round sums. Three pounds for a dollar furnished an easy way of counting, and the man who halted to think of the figures between five and ten was voted a fossil. But after all it was a giddy and demoralizing success which was built up by such methods. If a man's prosperity is to be the means of educating him as well as securing for him a competency it must be by giving attention to details, by watching that there is no wasteful squandering even of cents: in short, by taking care of the cents with all confidence that the pounds will take care of themselves.

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THE EXHIBITION.

The third annual exhibition of the Edmonton agricultural society was held on Wednesday, and its success was very satisfactory. The weather was pleasant although there was no sunshine, the crowd was large and appreciative, and the number of entries was sixty in excess of last year. The ground adjoining the hall presented a very animated appearance throughout the day, being occupied from an early hour with the spectators, the teams of exhibitors and the live stock on show. The competition in live stock was not keen, except in a few sections such as carriage and saddle horses, and the exhibits were not of extraordinary merit. In the hall however the display was good, and although there were several sections in which there were no entries there were in most of the others enough to ensure that no exhibit should get a prize unless of more than usual merit. The classes of dairy products, grain, field roots and vegetables, were very well represented both in quantity and quality, and the same is true of most sections in the departments of home-made woollen goods and fancy work. Complaint was made in some quarters that the prize list was not published a sufficient length of time before the show and that it was not widely enough circulated. There were some omissions also in the prize list which surely were the result of oversight. W. F. Bredin exhibited hohl-rabi, winter radish and garden carrots, all excellent specimens. Andre Lambert, the only exhibitor by the way from Fort Saskatchewan, showed cauliflowers, potato onions, and several varieties of vegetable seeds, which certainly deserved honorable mention but to which no prizes in the list could be appropriated. The sweepstakes was carried off by the R. C. mission, which secured \$40 in prizes. Following that and close together came T. Lauder, M. McLeod and G. Long, and after them the next highest was T. G. Hutchings. The following is the list of awards:

Class 1, horses.—Best stallion, R. C. mission 1st, Ross & Murphy 2nd. Best team, J. Kelly 1st, G. A. Simpson 2nd. Best carriage horse, gelding or mare, F. Stewart 1st, M. McLeod 2nd. Best team carriage horses in harness, J. A. McDougall 1st, C. Fraser 2nd.

Class 2, native horses.—Best team, R. Vance 1st, C. Fraser 2nd. Best saddle horse, J. Leronde 1st, C. Fraser 2nd.

Class 4, grade cattle.—Best bull 3 yrs and over, R. McKernan 1st. Best bull 1 or 2 yrs old, M. McLeod 1st. Best bull calf under 1 yr, T. Lauder 1st. Best cow 3 yrs and over, G. Long 1st, T. Lauder 2nd. Best heifer 1 or 2 yrs, T. Lauder 1st, M. McLeod 2nd. Best yoke of oxen 4 yrs and over, R. McKernan 1st, Wm. Price 2nd. Best cart ox, J. Foley 1st, T. Lauder 2nd.

Class 5, sheep.—Best ram any age, T. Lauder 1st. Best pair lambs, T. Lauder 1st.

Class 6, pigs.—Best pair spring pigs, R. McKernan 1st. Best Berkshire sow under 1 yr, A. Hutchings 1st, T. G. Hutchings 2nd. Best pair Berkshire spring pigs, G. Long 1st.

Class 7, poultry.—Best pair geese, M. McLeod 1st, J. Norris 2nd. Best pair turkeys, D. Noyes 1st, J. Norris 2nd. Best pair ducks, M. McLeod 1st, T. Henderson 2nd. Best pair common fowls, T. Henderson 1st, M. McLeod 2nd.

Class 8, field grain, seeds, etc.—Best bushel fine wheat, R. C. Mission 1st, T. Lauder 2nd. Best bushel club wheat, R. C. mission 1st. Best bushel wheat any kind, R. C. mission 1st. Best bushel barley, H. Long 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best bushel peas, B. Papin 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best bushel white oats, T. Lauder 1st, G. A. Blake 2nd. Best bushel black oats, T. Lauder 1st. Best 12 ears corn, R. C. mission 1st. Best 2 lbs wild hops, Rev. D. C. Sanderson 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best bushel fall wheat, M. McLeod 1st, T. Lauder 2nd.

Class 9, field roots, etc.—Best half bushel early rose potatoes, W. F. Bredin 1st, Wm. Price 2nd. Best half bushel snow flake potatoes, Wm. Price 1st, M. McLeod 2nd. Best 6 Swede turnips, T. G. Hutchings 1st, Wm. Price 2nd. Best 6 white turnips, W. F. Bredin 1st. Best 6 beets, T. G. Hutchings 1st, W. F. Bredin 2nd. Best 6 carrots, D. Ross 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best 2 pumpkins, H.B.Co. 1st. Best 2 citrons, H.B.Co. 1st, D. Ross 2nd. Best 6 celery, H.B.Co. 1st. Best half bushel Beauty of Hebron potatoes, G. Long 1st, D. Ross 2nd.

Class 10, vegetables.—Best 2 heads of cabbage, D. Ross 1st. Best peck red onions, H. B.Co. 1st, W. F. Bredin 2nd. Best peck yellow onions, H.B.Co. 1st. Best peck white onions, W. F. Bredin 1st.

Class 11, fruit, etc.—Citron jam, H.B.Co. 1st. Jelly cake, Mrs. Lauder 1st.

Class 12, dairy products.—Best package firkin butter 20 lbs or upwards, G. Long 1st, T. G. Hutchings 2nd. Best crock of butter not less than 10 lbs, G. Long 1st, T. G. Hutchings 2nd. Best 5 lbs table butter, M. McLeod 1st, G. Long 2nd. Best 2 loaves home-made bread, Mrs. A. Dunlop 1st, Mrs. Jas. Shand 2nd. Best 12 buns home-made from native flour, Mrs. J. H. Long.

Class 13, home-made woollen goods.—Best pair woollen socks, Mrs. A. Hutchings 1st, Miss Walter 2nd. Best pair woollen stockings, Mrs. M. McLeod 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best

pair woollen mitts, Mrs. G. Long 1st. Best log cabin quilt, Mrs. Lauder 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best patchwork quilt, Mrs. T. Henderson 1st, Miss Walter 2nd. Best rug or mat, Mrs. G. Long 1st.

Class 14, needlework.—Best braiding work, Mrs. T. G. Hutchings 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best bead work, Mrs. T. G. Hutchings 1st. Best crochet work, R. C. mission 1st, Mrs. Norris 2nd. Best wool work, R. C. mission 1st, H.B.Co. 2nd. Best embroidery on muslin, R. C. mission 1st. Best fancy knitting, R. C. mission 1st, Miss Walter 2nd. Best cotton tidy, R. C. mission 1st, Mrs. T. G. Hutchings 2nd. Best woollen tidy, Mrs. A. Dunlop 1st, Mrs. J. Shand 2nd. Best worked slipper, Miss Walter 1st. Best assortment of silk work, H.B.Co. 1st, Mrs. D. Noyes 2nd. Best fancy quilt, Mrs. T. G. Hutchings 1st.

Class 15, leather and leather work.—Best pair kipp boots, P. Byrne 1st and 2nd.

Special prizes.—Best bushel spring wheat any kind, R. C. mission. Best bushel barley, H. Long. Best bushel wheat, R. C. mission 1st and 2nd. Best bushel oats, T. Lauder 1st, G. A. Blake 2nd. Best bushel barley, H. Long 1st, R. C. mission 2nd. Best bushel potatoes, M. McLeod. Best half bushel fall wheat, M. McLeod. Two heads of white cabbage exhibited by D. Ross, purple-top yellow turnips by G. A. Blake, winter radish and kohlrabi by W. F. Bredin, were recommended by the judges for special prizes.

The judges in the different classes were:—Classes 1 to 4: Messrs. W. Walker, J. Norris and J. Gibbons. Classes 5, 6 and 7: Messrs. A. Cameron, D. B. Wilson, Wm. Cust and R. Denison. Class 8: Messrs. G. A. Simpson, D. R. Fraser and J. W. Hayes. Classes 9 and 10: Messrs. H. McKay, G. Sanderson and T. Hourston. Classes 11 and 12: Messrs. W. S. Robertson, S. Cunningham and G. A. Watson. Classes 13, 14 and 15: Messdames J. H. Long, Geo. Sanderson, and J. A. McDougall.

The management of the exhibition was in the hands of the following officers: M. McCauley, president; E. Brousseau, 1st vice-president; R. Belcher, 2nd vice-president; D. Ross, G. Long, A. D. Patton, J. Coleman, F. Lamoureux, S. D. Mulkins, C. Stewart, directors. W. Stiff, secretary.

NOTICES.

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Township 53, range 23—

Sections 2 and 4, east half of section 6, section 18, north half of section 28, east half of section 30, sections 32 and 34, and the west half of section 36.

Township 53, range 24—

South half of section 14, section 16, west half of section 18, west half and north-east quarter of section 20, north half of section 22, west half of section 24, south-east quarter of section 28, north half of section 30, section 32, and west half of section 34.

Township 54, range 23—

Sections 2 and 4, east half and south-west quarter of section 6, sections 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20 and 22, west half of section 24, sections 28, 30, 32, 34 and 36.

Township 54, range 24—

West half of section 2, sections 4 and 6, west half of section 8, section 14, north-east quarter of section 16, sections 18, 20 and 22, west half of section 24, sections 26, 28 and 30, north-west quarter of section 32, sections 34 and 36.

Dated at the offices of the Edmonton and Saskatchewan land company of Canada (limited), this 8th day of September, A.D. 1883.

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GENERAL NEWS.

The Emerson Manitoban has suspended publication.

The Railway dining hall at Broadview is a handsome structure.

The Post Office is to be removed from Archibald to Manitoba city.

The Red Deer settlement finds itself in the clutches of a Methodist colonization society.

The Manitoba and Northwestern railway is to run into Minnedosa by the 1st of November.

Thomas Greenway M. P. P. is about to open a money broker's office in Manitoba city.

The Rev. Dr. King of Toronto has accepted the position of principal of Manitoba College.

A good deal of wheat about Portage la Prairie was damaged by the frost of the 7th Sept.

Moody the evangelist is preaching in Chicago with all his old earnestness and force.

The steamer Parisian brings out 300 young farmers who will join their relations in Manitoba.

The steamer United Empire of the Beatty line in a recent trip brought 800 passengers up the lakes.

The mail which reached Battleford on the 31st of August was forwarded to Stobart by special messenger.

Rat Portage has another newspaper—The Argus and Northwestern Ontario Mining and Lumbering Journal.

The C. P. R. has taken over 50 miles of the line to Nipissing, and has commenced the running of trains.

The Rev. Mr. Douglas formerly a missionary in India has accepted a call to the Presbyterian church in Brandon.

The new Grace church (Methodist) in Winnipeg is ready for occupation and Wesley Hall will be vacated.

The Portage paper mill has considerable difficulty in getting sufficient straw to keep it in active operation.

The rate of taxation in Winnipeg this year is 13-10 mills on the dollar. The estimated expenditure is \$487,659.

R. C. Laurie, D.L.S., is subdividing five townships between Eagle creek and the elbow on the north side of the Saskatchewan.

The Methodist conference has altered its marriage ritual by dropping the words "to obey" in the question asked the women.

Richard Matheson, telegraph line repairer at Humboldt, lost a purse containing \$845 between Humboldt and the edge of the Salt plain.

The Emerson railway and traffic bridge across the Red River, is the finest structure of the kind in the north west. It cost \$200,000.

The Illinois wheat crop is the smallest for 25 seasons and the seven million acre crop of corn is from ten to twenty days late in maturing.

The equinoctial gales in Winnipeg were so violent as to make it dangerous for pedestrians on Main street. It rained heavily for about 24 hours.

A large cattle rancho is to be started on the Broken Head river, twenty miles from Selkirk, by Messrs. Cowan and Smith, two young Englishmen.

An agricultural society has been formed at Minnedosa, and an exhibition will be held this fall. The Government, the County and the Town gave bonuses.

The Portage knitting company is applying for letters patent of incorporation. The object of the company is to manufacture woollen goods of all kinds.

Mr. B. Pink master machanic of the C.P.R. at Winnipeg was presented with a purse of \$1000, a silver service of six pieces and an address on his retirement.

D. J. Waggoner, of Kingston, Ont., has been appointed as crown timber agent at Prince Albert, and Mr. Evans has been sent to the same place to act as land guide.

Hugh McKennan a railroad contractor was relieved of \$226 and a silver watch while drunk in the Davis House Winnipeg. P. B. Hubbard alias Calgary Reddie has been arrested on suspicion.

The north-western business of Stobart, Eden & Co. has been bought out by O. E. Hughes & Co. Mr. Hughes has been for many years manager of their business at Duck lake and Prince Albert.

Padmore, in the gap leading to the Kicking Horse Pass, takes its name from F. W. Padmore who has left there a couple of years ago to watch over the supplies of the survey party at work in the pass. Mr. Padmore is still in the place.

The Rat Portage council has bonused the Rainy lake lumbering company to the extent of \$20,000, the payment to extend over 20 years. The company lost \$130,000 by the recent fire but will rebuild at once.

The new residence for the Lieutenant governor is an ornament to the southwestern part of Winnipeg. It is fitted up in most luxurious style and contains a private office as well as dwelling accommodation.

The two cent rate of postage, in the United States, went into effect at the beginning of Oct. and although the contractors printed one and a half millions of stamps a day they were not able to keep pace with the demand.

They have in St. Paul a sample of wheat with 81 heads and they have offered \$500 for anything that can beat it in the States. Major Bell of Qu'Appelle has a sample of five wheat with 83 heads and 300 grains, and a sample of oats with 30 stalks and 10,000 (estimated) grains.

The Bell farm at Qu'Appelle has 30,000 bushels of wheat this year being an average of 22 per acre and 70,000 bushels of oats. They have 50 sulky plows, 26 self binders and two steam threshing machines. They had 3000 acres of crop this year, and expect to have 10,000 next year. \$250,000 has already been spent on the farm.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Friday evening, Oct. 12th, 1883. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday,	45	13
Sunday,	57	13
Monday,	58	21
Tuesday,	48	13
Wednesday,	67	29
Thursday,	65	27
Friday,	42	39

Barometer falling, 28.175.

During the week half an inch of snow fell.

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METHODIST CHURCH OF CANADA.—D. C. Sanderson, Pastor. Hours of service, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sabbath School, 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting and lecture, Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND—All Saints.—Incumbent, Rev. Canon Newton, Ph. Doc. Service on Sundays at 11 a.m. Afternoon service on the south side of the river at 3 o'clock. Evening service in the Masonic hall, Edmonton, at 6.30 o'clock. Residence at the Hermitage. Members of the church coming to Edmonton are invited to call on the clergyman.

EDMONTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Pastor—the Rev. Andrew B. Baird, M.A., B.D. Sabbath services, 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sabbath school at 2.30 p.m. Prayer meeting and meeting for the practice of sacred music on Friday evening at 7.30. The usual Sabbath morning service will be interrupted by Mr. Baird's monthly visit to Fort Saskatchewan, on October 14th.

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Bibles, English church prayer books, Presbyterian and Methodist hymn books.

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Complete sets of accountants' books, copying letter books, invoice books, passbooks, memorandums, workmen's time books, promissory note and receipt books, diaries, etc.

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Foolscap, letter and note paper, envelopes, drawing paper and pencils, ordinary lead and copying pencils, ink of all colors, pens and penholders, inkstands, pen racks, card racks, blotting paper and blotting pads, board clips, letter files, paper fasteners, ink and pencil erasers, rubber bands, legal forms, seals and sealing wax, letter balances.

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